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The growi region as in others, are ve at, rye, grass and corn are l ll, far better than has been e year. The wheat, too, is ripening astonishing rapidity, many fields already assuming the rich, golden hue that betokens a speedy ripeness for the harvest. The grain is plump and large. The fruit crop also promises to be large. Farmers have cause to be both hopeful and thankful, as they look over the fields waving with the luxuriant growth of grains and grasses.

OIL FIRE IN CLEVELAND.—Monday afternoon, while the contents of a tank was being discharged from cars on the Atlantic and Great Western Railway, at the Central Way crossing, into some vessels on a platform belonging to Backus & Williams, and Alexander, Schofield & Co., a passing locomotive set fire to the oil, and the whole platform was almost instantly in flames. In a few minutes the vessels gave way, allowing their contents to pour down the hill like a river of fire, submerging and destroying everything in the way. The refinery of Backus & Williams, built at great expense to secure a fire-proof structure, located near the platform, the first object to which the "wreathing flames" made way, was entirely destroyed, entailing a loss of $50,000 upon the firm. The adjoining buildings, belonging to this firm, consisting of a treating house, still house, two large warehouses, and a cooper shop, are included in the estimate. It is said not less than 4,000 barrels of refined oil were in both of the warehouses. The train, consisting of three cars, loaded with 2,400 gallons of oil, was included in the general devastation, along with a considerable portion of the railway track and the telegraph wires on each side of the road. The loss of the company will probably be about $5,000. Alexander, Schofield & Co., and Dunham & Smith, oil refiners, lost by the fire respectively $5,000 and $600—making a total of $60,600.

The Right Man in the Right Place.

The Greensburg *Herald* nominates Edgar Cowan ex-Senator from Pennsylvania, and a resident of that place, for the position of Minister to Hayti recently vacated by the death of the former Minister. The *Herald* says:

"Such a position could not be called a position, beyond the mere formality of pocketing the salary. The book-knowledge, which he claims to possess, aided by the long established habit of close attentiont of the colored race, would enable him in a very short time to develop whether that people are sufficiently advanced in the scale of being, to be elevated to citizenship, and if so, whether they are so far removed from a condition of 'barbarism' as to fit them to conduct the affairs of civil Government, in such a manner as to be creditable to us, to continue longer any sort of Diplomatic intercourse with them; or be justified in the expence of keeping there as their recognized Minister and Representative. Those who know his views, and remember his speeches in this, will certainly all agree with us, that he is not the man for the place."

Forebodings of Evil.

The *Army and Navy Journal* believes, in all sincerity and with much foreboding, that evil will come to us some day in the future from this mixing up of military and civil government, and from Mr. Stanbery's illogical, superfluous, unrepublican, and dangerous theory that both these forms of authority are unyielding coordinately in the South. It accustoms our people to the fatal notion that martial law can tranquilly divide supreme authority with civil law in times of peace—a notion which renders despotism an easy step to take in any republic, for it is the very foundation-theory of all arbitrary governments. It is a fatal error to think that an abnormal, warlike condition of affairs exists at the South, authorizing the military authority to exist there solely because civil authority does not exist (except subordinately and by sufferance) at all.

CROP CORRESPONDENCE.

Washington County, Pa.

Special Correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON COUNTY, PA., July 1, 1867.

Harvest is now upon us, and as all persons are deeply interested in the present crop, and as I am thoroughly acquainted, having traveled over the Eastern portion of our county, and also that part lying north of the "National Road," and being a farmer, I presume I am qualified to give an opinion of the crops in general. Some fields of wheat are now ready for the sickle, and it will all be ripe and harvested before the 10th inst., and with a few exceptions will be one of the finest crops that has been harvested in this county for a number of years. Some varieties have suffered seriously from insects in the smooth chaff, whilst the bearded varieties have escaped, as they almost invariably do. Barley and rye are a good average—the former is harvested. Oats are short, owing to the unfavorable spring, but stand well on the ground, and I presume will be a fair crop. Hay, very good. Corn, rather small for the season. Potatoes, promising, and will be good if not destroyed by the bug, which usually attacks them about the 20th of July.

Old Washington county has a world wide reputation for her staple commodity, wool, and I presume her reputation can and will be sustained in this clip, now in hands, as I have noticed the farmers and wool growers have this season been contesting, as it were, for the championship, in the choice of stock, preparing and putting up of their wools—which I think never came on near perfection in any previous clips, as the present one. The only thing I want now is to have buyers, (not kid gloved) that can and will discriminate. Hence, there will be an inducement for a continuation in the course of improvement in that line, and also in the keeping and management of sheep, in order to produce the finest and most useful, as well as the required fibre. I do hope the manufacturers will endeavor, to purchase our wools themselves, or send an agent that can and will judge our wools by the fibre and merits and not as it is done by the majority of buyers, by the weight and size of fleece, alone, for on that scale, some of the best grades are condemned. We want men of experience either in the manufacture or growing of the article. I presume there are many farmers, though they are "hewers of wood and drawers of water," that are much better qualified to purchase wool than a majority of buyers, who are now engaged in the purchase of wools.

I find a pretty general feeling prevails here with the farmers and growers, that they will hold their wools at from 60 to 65c for their best grades. I have heard of some sales at 55c, some at 59c, and one at 60c. One of my neighbors has a standing bid on his clip of 57c. I have also heard of some sales as low as 50c. I presume they are inferior grades, small lots, and sold by persons who are compelled to sell at any price that may be offered. As farmers are not all millionaires, neither have they any associations for Union—every man acting for himself—offers an inducement for "sharks to follow the ship." More anon, from your friend. MORTIMER.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

Two thousand emigrants, mostly Germans, arrived in New York Monday.

The southern mail service is restored as before the war. It went into operation Monday, and includes about one thousand routes, and is as completely under contract with responsible parties as at any former time.

The second fraudulent issue of city scrip in New Orleans, not named in the Comptroller's report, has been ferreted out, though the amount of the issue cannot be ascertained. No action has yet been taken by the Common Council, and in the meantime the notes are steadily becoming uncurrent.

An order of examination of the defendants in the Merchants' Union Express Company's suit, now pending, having been granted the plaintiff in New York, on Monday, in order to show cause why that order should not be vacated was obtained by the defendants, on the ground that the original order was unnecessary, as they have never refused, but have always been willing, to submit to such examination.

On Saturday the Grand Jury of the United States District Court, at New Orleans, found true bills against Thomas P. May, President of the First National Bank, one for the embezzlement of $450,000 while Sub-Treasurer, the other with embezzling $100,000 deposited in his bank, the property of the United States. The jury also found true bills against Wm. B. Whittaker, one charging him with embezzlement of $1,000,000, the property of the United States, the other with the embezzlement of $10,000, United States funds, loaned to him to A. P. Harrison.

STATE ITEMS.

Right Rev. Bishop Kerfoot, of the Diocese of Pittsburgh, visited Tidioute yesterday, and was to officiate in the evening in the Postoffice Hall in that place.

An individual named John Long applied to the Mayor of Harrisburg, on Saturday, for power to secure possession of his wife. It transpired that Long had been serving the State four years in the Penitentiary for robbery, and his wife hearing that he had died in prison married a second time and was content to remain with her second husband. The Mayor decided that John had disfranchised himself by his four years' service as a felon.

Iron and copper ores are said to abound in the mountains south of Lykens, Dauphin county. A large amount of iron has already been taken out of the mountains.

On Saturday night, at eleven o'clock, a fire broke out in the oil refinery of Thayer Bros. on Eleventh street, Philadelphia, at the intersection of the P. & E. R. R. track, the origin of the fire being unknown. The works were completely destroyed. The loss will foot up about $8,500.

FIRST EDITION.

12 O'CLOCK, M.

SURRATT'S TRIAL.

Twentieth Day's Proceedings.

Examination of Dr. McMillan Concluded.

More of Surratt's Revelations.

ST. MARIE'S TESTIMONY.

Surratt Escapes from Washington the Night of the Assassination.

WASHINGTON, July 2.—Judge Fisher was presiding, though still unwell.

Dr. McMillan was recalled. Mr. Bradley called the attention of the Court to some insulting remarks of the witness yesterday to Mr. Merrick.

The Court: While he could have no provocation or justification for the remark of the witness, reminded counsel that witness had never been cross-examined as in this case, and admonished counsel to adhere more closely to the rules of practice, and avoid side remarks or directing any remarks to the jury.

Mr. McMillan testified: Surratt told him he was in Montreal the first day of the week of the assassination, and was summoned to Washington by Booth by letter; Surratt also told me that a day or two after the assassination he was at St. Albans, and the train being late, strolled through the town and went to a hotel for breakfast; while sitting at the table he saw a great deal of excitement among those sitting at it; asked his neighbor what all the excitement was about, and he said, "Don't you know President Lincoln has been assassinated?" the prisoner said the story is too good to be true; the man showed him a paper, and prisoner saw his own name mentioned; that was the last of his breakfast; he left the table, and at that moment a man came in and said Surratt's handkerchief had been found; prisoner then felt for his handkerchief, and found he had lost it, and made himself scarce; he went to Canada and stopped at the house of Mr. Porterfield. Confederate agent, until a detective searched for him, and admonished him to leave; Surratt described to me how to get away from Mr. Porterfield; two carriages were aroused by the boy to a small town called St. Albans; he said he staid there two weeks in the house of a priest named Chas. Bouche; he told me that one day the priest being absent, he was lying on a sofa in the priest's bedroom, and between the room and sitting-room was a place for a stove, and under the stove was a trap door, and a female servant being desirous of seeing who the priest was concealing, put her head above the trap door, and Surratt frightened her off; a rumor got out that the priest was keeping a woman in his room; the priest told Surratt he could conceal him no longer; Surratt went to Montreal, and was concealed by the priest La Pierre in a back room, and remained there all day, and at night to take a stroll; on shipboard the prisoner's conduct and appearance was gentlemanly, but he was very nervous when any one would come behind him; on the morning before the landing at Londonderry, between eleven and twelve o'clock, I was called out and passed the prisoner standing on what I called the upper deck; he was alone; he asked me to go ashore; he had previously asked my advice about landing, and I would give him no advice; he said he would go on to Liverpool; I was therefore surprised to see an apparent intention of landing at Londonderry; after some conversation I told him he had been telling me a good deal, and I said I experienced doubts of his traveling under his correct name; I asked him to give me his right name; he looked around and whispered in my ear, "my name is Surratt;" he went ashore twenty-five or thirty minutes afterwards; before going ashore prisoner asked for a drink, and I awoke the bar-keeper and we all took a drink; it is the custom in England and on board ships for the bar-keeper to help a customer to a drink asked for and not place the decanter before him, but in this case the bar-keeper put the bottle up, and Surratt poured out and drank a half tumbler of raw brandy; I then treated, and the bar-keeper treated, and Surratt at all times took the same quantity; the prisoner then landed, and the ship went on to Liverpool.

The examination of McMillan was concluded. He was cross-examined at length by Mr. Merrick; I do not remember of any date Surratt gave me except two occasions, one was that he was in Richmond the week before it fell, and in Washington the day of the assassination; he merely told me the abduction plan had failed; there are no circumstances by which I could fix the time when the plan of abduction failed; Surratt told me he was in Richmond, and was in Montreal the week of the assassination, and the next letter from Booth's wife in Montreal directing him to return to Washington, that it had been necessary to change their plan, and act promptly; he did not tell me what change of plan the letter referred to; he left immediately afterwards; he said he reached Elmira on Thursday before the assassination; he said he telegraphed from Elmira to Booth, in New York, to know if he (Booth) had gone to Washington; he did not say whether he went further than Elmira or not; all I remember his saying about St. Albans was, he was there a few days after the assassination; the prisoner told me all I recollect, and never told me anything connecting him with the incidents of the assassination in Washington, nor did he ever say he was in Washington the day of the assassination; witness was summoned here by the marshal of Chicago; was not summoned before Committee; I went to the House of Representatives one day with a friend and was introduced to Geo. F. Boutwell, who asked me to testify before the Judiciary Committee, and I consented; I have said if any one was entitled to the reward for Surratt's arrest, I was entitled to it; I have stated that in this city I never intended to claim the reward; never told any one Surratt was in Elmira the morning of April 14, and did not know of the assassination until the morning after; I never said Surratt first learned of the assassination in New York, and immediately went to Canada; never said Surratt had no connection with the assassination, and I only regarded him as a political offender, and would therefore aid him; I never stated the plan to abduct the President was an individual enterprise of Booth; I never said anything contrary to what I have said on this stand; I have said the prisoner and Booth had planned the abduction, and expended $10,000.

After recess Payne, the barber of the United States steamer Swatara, testified to facts relative to the voyage of Surratt from Egypt to America.

Capt. Wm. M. Wermerskirch testified concerning the arrest of Mrs. Surratt and Payne.

Marshal Gooding, of the District of Columbia, testified to the receipt of prisoner in custody when landed at the Navy Yard.

James Walker, a colored porter at the Pennsylvania Hotel, identified Surratt as a frequent visitor to Atzerott.

Supt. St. Marie testified: In 1866 was in the Papal States, at Valetra, about forty miles from Rome; was a soldier of the Papal army; was in the ninth company; they are called the Papal Zouaves. The dress worn by Surratt was exhibited; that is the dress worn by the Zouaves; I saw the prisoner there; I knew him; I think it was on the 14th or 15th of June, 1866; I saw prisoner again; he came to my quarters with two Zouaves named Dibart and Lalon, and we four took a walk; we took the road to Naples; had some conversation at that time, and I was occasionally speaking to my companions in French, and Surratt in English; I asked him how he got out from Washington; he said he got out the night of the assassination, and said he was so disguised no one could recognize him as an Englishman; I then went to Malta; did not see him, but afterwards saw him on the Swatara. No cross-examination.

Judge Fisher said it was a very oppressive day, it would be well to take a recess now.

Mr. Bradley said the defense would like to know when the prosecution would close their testimony, that they might know what to do with the witnesses for the defense.

Mr. Carrington said they would probably close to-morrow, but it was not certain.

Adjourned till to-morrow.

PARIS EXHIBITION.

The Piano Gold Medal Awarded---Decoration of Legion of Honor Conferred upon C. F. Chickering, Esq., of Boston.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

NEW YORK, July 2, 1867.

By cable dispatch received this day, we learn that Mr. C. F. Chickering, of Chickering & Sons, has received the decoration of the Legion of Honor, which gives the pianos of that firm the first place in the estimation of the musical world now at Paris.

Five grand gold medals of honor were awarded to pianos, all of them alike.

A Murderer Sentenced to Prison for Life.

CHICAGO, July 2.—The trial of Chauncey F. Page, at Laporte, Ind., for the murder of his wife and her mother at Valparaiso, last winter, was concluded to-day. The jury returned a verdict of guilty, sentencing him to the penitentiary for life.

Boiler Explosion in Boston.

BOSTON, July 2.—Yesterday evening the steam boiler used in unloading coal vessels in the Boston Gas Company's works exploded, dangerously injuring Wm. Dalton, and seriously wounding Capt. Sutherland.

EUROPE.

BY THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

Award of Prizes at the Exposition.

AN INTERESTING DESCRIPTION.

The Emperor's Speech in Full.

Reception of the Czar at St. Petersburg.

Redistribution of Seats in Parliament.

The Award of Prizes.

PARIS, July 1.—There was a very grand ceremony at the distribution of Exhibition prizes to-day. One hundred and seventy thousand persons, including representatives of every nation, were present. In front of the throne were the members of the diplomatic corps dressed in uniform. The galleries were filled. In the east end of the building was placed an orchestra of twelve hundred musicians, an organ and musician bells. The roof of the buildings were bright with streamers of every color. The nave was surrounded with an ample parterre of natural flowers, growing in a garden. The galleries were hung with flags, showing the nations which contributed to the Exhibition. In the center on pedestals there were shown the best specimens of ten groups, in which all articles were divided. The French Minister of State was present with the legislative chambers, seated near the throne. The Lord Mayor of London and several Aldermen were present. Napoleon's throne was guarded by a detachment of guards.

At ten minutes before two in the afternoon the roll of drums announced the approach of the Imperial cortege, preceded by squadrons of dragoons and civil gardes and trumpeters. The Imperial party were conveyed in six carriages, each drawn by four horses. Royal outriders came on in advance of the carriage in which the Emperor was seated. This carriage was drawn by eight horses, and contained the Emperor, Empress, Prince Imperial, Prince Napoleon and one of his sons. There were thousands assembled around the exhibition buildings, and the approach of the royal party was loudly cheered.

The Sultan of Turkey was present with his cortege, heralded by three carriages containing Turkish officials of great distinction. His vehicle was drawn by eight horses, each led by servants in livery. All the carriages were literally covered with gold, having been brought in from the palace at Versailles, where they had lain since the time of Louis XIV. On the Sultan's right hand sat his nephew and heir to the throne. In front of his Majesty his son and second nephew. They received a warm welcome from the crowd. The Sultan saluted the people by passing his hand from his mouth to his feet.

The ladies attached to the French Court were dressed in magnificent costumes. The officers of Napoleon's household, in full uniform, entered the building and took places behind the throne. Next came Napoleon, having the Sultan on his right. The Empress Eugenie came next, followed by the Prince of Wales, Prince Imperial of France, Princess Royal of Prussia, Prince Humbert of Italy, Princess Mathilde, Prince Napoleon, Princess Clotilde, Duchess of Doste, the brother of the Tycoon, Prince Yon Teck, and Duke of Cambridge.

Napoleon took his seat on the throne, in the center of the group, having the Sultan on his right and the Empress on the left. The Empress was dressed in a robe of white satin, trimmed with silver, and wore a heavy diamond necklace.

As the Imperial cortege entered the building, the orchestra with a full chorus gave Rossini's "Hymn to the Emperor," with accompaniments sent forth from cannon and joy bells. The effect was exceedingly thrilling. The music was magnificent. The Minister of State read to the Emperor the report of the juries on successful exhibitors and productions and objects exhibited by them. At its conclusion, Napoleon rose from the throne, and in a loud, clear voice said:

Napoleon's Speech.

"GENTLEMEN: After an interval of twelve years, I come to the second time to distribute rewards to those who most distinguished themselves in those works which enrich nations, embellish life and soften manners. The poets of antiquity sing praises of the great games in which nations from all parts contended with Greece for prizes in races and other sports. What would they say to-day were they present at these olympic games of the whole world, in which the nations of the earth come to be judged of intellect alone, and seem to launch themselves forth simultaneously on an infinite career of progress towards an ideal which has been incessantly approached, without ever being attained? From all parts of the earth have come the representatives of science, arts and industry, who have hastened to vie with each other, and we may say peoples and Kings have both come to the efforts of labor and crown them by their presence with ideas of conciliation and peace. Indeed, in these great assemblies, which appear to have no other objects than material interests, the moral sentiment always disengages itself from competition and intelligence and a sentiment of accord prevail, and the nations in drawing near learn to know and esteem each other. Hatreds are extinguished and the truth becomes more evident that the prosperity of each country contributes to the prosperity of all.

"The exhibition of 1867 may justly be termed universal, for it unites the elements of all ages. Side by side with the latest improvements in modern art appear the products of the remotest ages, so they represent at one and the same time the genius of all ages and nations. It is universal, for in addition to the marvels which luxury brings forth there is displayed on every hand the necessities of the many. The interests of the laboring classes never aroused more lively solicitude, their moral and material wants, and conditions of life. A clearer idea of the most productive combinations of association has been the object of patient inquiries and serious study. Thus all improvements march forward. If due account, however, to account, liberates labor, the cultivation of mind subdues vice, and prevails over vulgar passions and illiberal humanity. Let us congratulate ourselves, gentlemen, on having received among us a majority of the sovereigns and princes of Europe, and so many other distinguished visitors. Let us be proud of having shown France as she is great, is prosperous and free. No nation must be destitute of all patriotic faith who doubts her greatness, and must close his eyes to evidence who denies her prosperity; he must misunderstand our institutions, tolerant even to license, not to behold in them liberty. Foreigners have been able to appreciate this. France, formerly disquieted, and casting her uneasiness beyond her frontiers, is laborious and calm always. Fertile in generous ideas, she is turning her genius to more diverse marvels, never allowing herself to be enervated by material enjoyment. Attentive minds will have divined, notwithstanding the developments of wealth and enticements towards prosperity, that the nation is always ready to vibrate as soon as a question of honor arises; but this noble susceptibility could not be a subject for alarm for the repose of the world. Those who listen to the heart beating among us carry home just opinions of the country. I feel persuaded the sentiments of esteem we entertain towards foreign nations, and our sincere desire to live at peace, will be reciprocal.

"I thank the Imperial Commissioners; members of the jury and of the different committees for their intelligent zeal in the accomplishment of their task, and I thank also by name the Prince Imperial, who, notwithstanding his tender age, I have been happy to associate in this great undertaking, of which he will retain the remembrance. I hope the Exhibition of 1867 will mark a new era of harmony and progress, assured that Providence blesses the efforts of all who like us desire to do good. I believe in the definitive triumph of the great principles, of morality and justice, which, while satisfying all legitimate desires, are alone able to consolidate thrones, elevate nations and ennoble humanity." [Loud cheering.]

After the speech, the exhibitors who were to receive the grand prizes marched to the front of the throne, each group separately, the first being the fine arts. As each name was called, the recipient ascended the steps of the throne, bowing to the Emperor and Empress, and received from Napoleon's hand the gold medal. There were passed one by one to Napoleon by Marshal Valliant, until all the medals were given out. Many of the recipients were called up again, and received decorations of the Legion of Honor, the same ceremony being gone through with as in the case of delivering the medals. The gold medals only were distributed by the Emperor.

Altogether there will be 15,500 ——— upwards to 60,000 exhibitors, there are sixty grand ——— to one score ——— and 5,000 bronze medals, and 9,000 honorable mentions. In group eight the Emperor of Russia was awarded a gold medal for nine horses. In group ten Napoleon was awarded a gold medal for a model lodging house. Marshal Valliant was about handing it to him, when the Emperor beckoned to the Prince Imperial, who came forward, took it from the Marshal's hand and placed it in Napoleon's amid loud cheers.

The only one with whom the Emperor shook hands was Mr. House, the inventor of the printing telegraph.

Receiving the medals and decorations the recipients resumed their seats. The Imperial cortege then left the throne, and walked around the entire building, passing the various groups, and occasionally stopping to examine trophies. The Empress Eugenie evidently expected the Sultan would offer her his arm, but he did not. There were no loud cheers until the Imperial party reached the American Department, when the American Commissioners rose and gave three loud American hurrahs. There was also much cheering when the English Department was reached. The Sultan wore his fez during the ceremony, and he seemed confused. The Empress appeared delighted. The Imperial cortege left the Exhibition grounds in the same manner it arrived, with the exception that the Sultan's carriages preceded Napoleon's. Altogether this was probably the finest pageant Paris ever witnessed.

Reception of the Czar.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 1.—The Czar entered the Capital at noon to-day, amidst an immense popular demonstration. At one in the afternoon His Majesty attended *Te Deum* in Kazan church, which was filled with the highest dignitaries of the empire, the diplomatic corps, officers of the army and navy, and city functionaries. His Majesty afterwards received the congratulations of the diplomatic corps at his winter palace. Senator Doolittle, of the United States, was presented to the Czar.

Telegraph Commissioners.

The commissioners of the Russian-American telegraph are here. Their prospects are good.

Agitation in Servia.

PESTH, July 1.—News of great popular agitation at Carlowitz and Vacovar is received. Stratmerovitz has been proclaimed dictator by the Servian population. General Goblentz, of Austria, has been ordered to Croatia.

Redistribution of Parliamentary Seats.

LONDON, July 1, midnight.—In the redistribution of parliamentary seats, the government concedes one additional member each to Liverpool, Birmingham, Manchester and Leeds.

North Schleswig.

BERLIN, July 1.—The *Borse Gazette* of this evening says a distinct understanding was arrived at in Paris between the Prussian and French Governments in regard to North Schleswig, and that Fleusburg, Duppel and Alsen are to continue Prussian territory.

King George of Hanover.

The same paper says negotiations are still pending for the restoration of King George of Hanover. Prussia makes it a *sine qua non* that he shall publicly abdicate.

Arrest of Fenians.

DUBLIN, July 2.—A number of Fenians were found drilling at Wicklow, and arrested.

London Money Market.

LONDON, July 2, Noon.—Consols, 93 finals, 93¼ for account. U. S. 5-20's, 72¾. Illinois Central, 79¾. Erie, 41.

LONDON, Evening, July 2.—Consols closed at 93¼. American securities closed unchanged. 5-20's, Illinois Central, 79¾. Erie, 41.

Antwerp Petroleum Market.

ANTWERP, July 2.—Petroleum, 49.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, July 2, Noon.—Cotton inactive. Breadstuffs quiet. Corn 37s 6d. Provisions firm. Refined oil 75d.

LIVERPOOL, July 2, 2 P. M.—Cotton declined ⅛. Pork advanced 2s 6d. Bacon declined 6d. Lard advanced 6d.

LIVERPOOL, Evening, July 2.—Cotton closed weak, with a decline of ⅛d. Sales of the day 12,000 bales.

The Manchester market shows a downward tendency.

Breadstuffs—Flour, Corn firm. White California wheat 10s 6d. Barley dull. Oats inactive.

Provisions quiet throughout the day. Beef 115 6d, for Cumberland cut. Pork 77s 6d. Lard unchanged. Tallow 45s 6d, for American. Petroleum 50.

London Markets.

LONDON, July 2, Evening.—Sugar closed firm at 28s 3d. Iron steady. Oils steady.

BY MAILS.

Queen of Prussia En Route for England---Course of Lord Stanley Eulogized---Vote on the Reform Bill---The Zolverein, &c., &c.

NEW YORK, July 2.—The steamer Ville de Paris, from Brest on the 22d, has arrived.

The Queen of Prussia left Coblentz on the 20th for England.

In the House of Lords on the 21st, Earl Russell eulogized the conduct of Lord Stanley in the Luxemburg affair. Derby thanked him, and said that England hesitated to take part in the conference until it found out that its participation was necessary to prevent war. Lord Clarendon also expressed his approval of Stanley's policy.

On the same day in the House of Commons a vote was taken on section 19th of the reform bill, giving electors the right to vote by ballot, and the section rejected by 272 against 251.

During the absence of the Sultan, the Grand Vizier, Ali Pacha, is invested with the regency of Turkey. The Viceroy of Egypt was engaged in visiting all places of interest. The Sultan was present at the session of the Corps Legislatif, and had received a visit from the Emperor.

The Zolverein was to meet on the 26th at Berlin, to perfect its re-organization. No special subjects were to be discussed, except an additional tax on tobacco.

M. Bennigsen and Count de Munster, of Hanover, have arrived at Berlin to hold consultation with Bismarck on the organization of a government for Hanover.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

Sherman Drops the Defensive and Assumes the Attack to Clean Out the Indians---Clamorous for War.

ST. LOUIS, July 2.—Denver papers publish a dispatch from General Sherman to General Hancock on Indian matters, in which he says we must not remain on the defensive, but follow them up and attack them on all possible occasions. We must clean out all the Indians between the Platte and the Arkansas, and then move against the hostile tribes in force beyond these rivers.

An Omaha dispatch says that Colonel Patrick, agent for the Northern Cheyennes, Arapahoes and Cheyenne Sioux, has just arrived from the North Platte, where he met Spotted Tail, Swift Bear, and several other chiefs, in council, with the view of gathering all peaceable Indians at one point to be subsisted by the Government. About 3,000 Indians were represented, and are now camped near North Platte. They profess friendship, and agree to remain in camp, subject to the government, during the present hostilities. Big Mouth, with his band of Ogallallas, Pawnee Killer, with fifty lodges of Sioux and other bands, including Red Cap and Dog Head, who, with their bands, participated in the Fort Phil. Kearney massacre, are all moving to join the camp, which will number about four thousand. Col. Patrick thinks arrangements will be carried out in good faith, but that the public may not be misled, Red Cloud, the biggest Sioux chief, and all of the Cheyennes on Smoky Hill are clamorous for war, so that hopes for early peace are not to be indulged.

ANTIETAM CEMETERY.

Dedication of Antietam National Cemetery---The President, Cabinet and Congress Invited to be Present---The Poem.

WASHINGTON, July 2.—The Committee of Arrangements for the dedication of Antietam National Cemetery held a meeting recently. Among other business transacted was the adoption of a resolution cordially inviting the President of the United States and Cabinet, and members of both Houses to extend their sympathies and co-operation in the ceremony of dedication. The Committee also made the necessary arrangements to extend an invitation in due time to the army and navy, and Governors and Legislatures of the respective States and others. The Dedication Committee, instead of selecting a particular writer of the principal poem on the occasion, have concluded to throw open the theme to the poets of the country, with a request that they furnish poems of not less than two hundred lines each. None of the poems so furnished, except the successful one, will be made public without the consent of the author.

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Tobacco Fair in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, July 2.—Another tobacco fair took place to-day at the city tobacco warehouse, where thirteen premiums were offered by the warehouse company and dealers, ranging in value from $60 to $400. The attendance was large, and Virginia, West Virginia, Tennessee, Kentucky, Ohio, Illinois, Connecticut and Missouri competed for the prizes. Premiums were awarded to Missouri, Virginia, Kentucky and West Virginia. The first premium hogshead, bright wrapper, sold for $255 per hundred pounds, and the second premium, same class, for $240. Other hogsheads ranged from $14 50 to $55.

From Charleston.

CHARLESTON, July 2.—A young freedman named Frank Smith has applied to the Secretary of War for a cadetship at West Point from the First District of South Carolina.

The general closing of the bar rooms of this city was enforced to-day. No drinks can be obtained except at the hotels.

From Savannah.

SAVANNAH, July 2.—Twenty-three whites and 239 colored registered to-day.

SECOND EDITION.

4 O'CLOCK, A. M.

THE CAPITAL.

Meeting of Congress To-Day.

No Prospects of a Quorum in the Senate.

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Special Dispatch to Commercial.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 2, 1867.

The Convening of Congress.

The meeting of Congress to-morrow has given Washington a lively appearance. Senators and members, especially the latter, have been coming in quite freely to-day and to-night. The hotels and Pennsylvania Avenue wear an aspect in striking contrast to that of the past few days. The probability of a quorum has been the subject of extended discussion, owing to the existence of a reasonable doubt on the part of the Senate. A close calculation of the number of Senators here and on their way shows that the Senate will lack two of a quorum. It is conceded that there will be a quorum in the House.

A Constitutional Question.

Notwithstanding the peremptory tone of the resolution requiring an adjournment to December on the non-appearance of a quorum, it is freely stated to-day that the members known as the impeachment party declare that Congress has the right to continue in session under the fifth section of the first article of the Constitution, which says that a majority of each House shall constitute a quorum to do business, but that a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and that these members intend to avail themselves of this clause to insure a session. There is a good deal of feeling, and no little excitement, in political circles, from this view of the case. The majority of the members, in conversation, favor a short session, and of confining legislation entirely to the reconstruction question.

The Washington evening papers announced that a caucus would be held to-night to decide on the business of the session, but there was no authority for such a statement and none has been held.

Presiding Officers Arrived.

Vice-President Wade and Speaker Colfax are on hand.

The Surratt Case.

The Surratt trial to-day was unusually interesting, and was against the prisoner very decidedly. Dr. McMillan testified to Surratt's confessing to him that he was in the plan with Booth to abduct the President, but that it was found necessary to abandon or change it. The witness, however, said that Surratt never told him that he was in Washington the day of the assassination, nor had he stated to him what the abduction plan had been changed. Surratt said that Booth telegraphed to Kimat Montreal to come to Washington as it had been found necessary to change the plan, and that he, Surratt, was in Elmira, New York, on the Tuesday preceding the assassination. Surratt also related to the witness the statement of his dropping his handkerchief in St Albans, thereby corroborating the previous evidence in this particular. Benj. St. Marie, whose evidence has been anticipated with so much interest was next put on the stand. His presence caused a decided sensation in the Court room. Surratt seemed very nervous on seeing him. He testified that Surratt confessed in the Papal States that he (Surratt) was in Washington and escaped from the city thoroughly disguised on the night of the morning after the assassination. After the witness made this statement he left the stand. The counsel for the prisoner, to the surprise of all, declined to cross-examine him.

Counsel Bradley Threatens to Thrash Judge Fisher.

Quite a scene occurred in the Court House after the adjournment of the Court between Judge Fisher and Mr. Bradley, senior counsel for the prisoner. The latter approached the Judge in an excited manner, and said he excepted to his remarks from the bench in an allusion to the way in which the prisoner's counsel had cross-examined Dr. McMillan. Judge Fisher said he supposed he would have to enter into a controversy. Mr. Bradley informed the Judge that if he (Fisher) were not sick he would thrash him. Judge Fisher replied that he did not claim immunity from the threatened castigation on account of illness, and it is said squared himself for a fight. The bystanders interfered, when Bradley dared Fisher to expel him from the bar. The Judge replied that he should not prejudice his case by doing that. At this stage young Bradley came rushing in pushing the crowd aside and seemingly making toward the Judge in a violent way, but by this time the Judge had been taken into an adjoining room, and Bradley, Jr., seeking an interview fully disclaimed the inference that he was intending to assault him, but was merely making his way through the crowd to see what was the matter. The affair has caused considerable excitement.

Confirmation Wanted.

The French Government telegraphed here to-day for confirmatory intelligence of the execution of Maximilian, but a reply was made that no additional details had been received.

Cabinet Meeting.

The Cabinet to-day had its first regular meeting since the President's return, and resumed the discussion of the restoration of the Southern officials. So far as can be learned at this hour it was decided to restore the Louisiana Levee Commissioners. Nothing was said about removing Generals Sheridan and Sickles, and it is well understood that they will not be interfered with.

Judge Wayne Very Ill.

Judge Wayne, of the Supreme Court, is very low to-night. His physicians say he cannot recover.

WASHINGTON, July 3.

STORMS.

This morning two separate severe storms, with thunder, lightning and hail, did much damage, blowing down the walls of buildings, uprooting trees, unmooring vessels, and damaging some of them considerably.

DISPATCH FROM NAPOLEON.

A dispatch has been received over the cable from Emperor Napoleon, asking if the news of Maximilian's death had been confirmed. An affirmative reply was returned.

INVESTIGATION ORDERED.

Gen. Grant has ordered an investigation of the military order for the alleged offense of selling liquor to soldiers at Fort Sedgwick. Should the result of the inquiry warrant, a court martial will be ordered for the trial of the offenders.

CONGRESS.

Twenty-three Senators having arrived in Washington, only four more are required to secure a quorum. It is said they will be forthcoming by to-morrow, not counting Democrats. Prominent members of the House say there is no doubt of a quorum in that body of Republicans alone.

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Treatment of Sheridan.

NEW ORLEANS, July 2.—A Galveston dispatch says: A Monterey letter, written previous to the evacuation, says the Emperor was stripped entirely naked, and Escobedo presented him with a shirt to cover his nakedness.

Arrival of the Java.

BOSTON, July 2.—The steamer Java, from Liverpool on the 23d and Queenstown on the 24th, arrived this evening.

RECONSTRUCTION.

SENATOR WILSON'S PROPOSITION.

All Civil Offices in the South to be Vacated.

Military Commanders to Fill the Same as they Shall Deem Expedient.

Special Dispatch to Commercial.

WASHINGTON, July 2, 1867.

Senator Wilson has prepared a bill to settle the points in controversy on reconstruction, and will offer it to-morrow. It consists of two sections. The first declares all civil offices in the ten States vacated within thirty days, and authorizes the Commanding General to fill them by reappointment of present incumbents, by appointment of new ones or by election, as they shall deem expedient. The second section authorizes the Board of Registration to refuse to register any men whom they believe to be disqualified, and gives the persons so rejected twenty days to prove to the satisfaction of the register that he is not disqualified. From the second decision of the Register there is no appeal.

Mr. Wilson says he will strenuously oppose the introduction of any other subject of legislation than that immediately conn

The Daily Commercial

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3, 1867.

THE COMMERCIAL *is the largest daily paper in the State, and gives daily one-fourth more reading than any other paper in Pittsburgh. It is the only Pittsburgh paper that uses the telegraph liberally, gives full market reports, and all the news of the day.*

WE hope Congress will call for the correspondence and all the facts connected with the efforts of this Government to save MAXIMILIAN'S life. There is just the bare suspicion that Mr. SEWARD may have employed the arts of circumlocution—a suspicion, which, if groundless, he will be anxious to remove by making public all the correspondence.

THE true account of the Birmingham riots has at last reached us, and was placed before the readers of the COMMERCIAL yesterday morning. It turns out to have been not a ritualistic affair, but a quarrel between Protestants and Romanists. It was *an* "anti-Popery" riot, begun by the Romanists, as one was lately in Alton, Illinois. MURPHY harangued or lectured against Popery, and his place of meeting was attacked, when his adherents resisted and in retaliation committed some violent and disorderly acts in the town and on a Romish church. With the facts now before us, we pronounce the affair, as we did on its first announcement, a wrong, whichsoever side began it, and a wrong resulting from the cultivation of religious antipathies and prejudices. Club-law is the logic of barbarism and brutality, and cannot be a suitable rejoinder to even the weak logic of speech, in religious controversies. It rather gives weight and influence to the sentiments which it opposes. Bludgeons and shillalchs are arguments addressed to the outside of the head not to the intellect. They could be omitted in ecclesiastical matters, without detriment or discredit to anybody.

"HOW MUCH nobler in the eyes of the world," says the New York *Tribune*, "will America appear with DAVIS free, than Mexico with the dead body of this amiable and unfortunate Prince." Few persons, we apprehend, want the "dead body" of DAVIS. What is demanded is the settlement—through his trial—of the question whether secession inheres with our system of Government, and whether or not DAVIS, in organizing and prosecuting the rebellion, offended any law. The questions what shall be done with DAVIS, and whether the rebellion was a crime and the originators deserve punishment, are distinct. In disposition of MAXIMILIAN the Mexicans have settled—thoroughly and forever—a similar question as it related to them. Though the killing was unnecessary to prosecute this purpose—a purpose on which they were deeply intent—they did settle the question and all the world knows which way. They might have done it and still been merciful; and this is what they should have done. By setting DAVIS free, with no intention of trying him, we refuse altogether to settle the question of right, of treason, of the undissolubleness of the Union.

Most men will concede that in case respect the Mexicans have the advantage us in this matter, and they will continue to have it until the question of DAVIS'S treason shall have been passed upon according to laws as old as the Republic itself. It is not the body or blood of the organizer of the Rebellion that is demanded, but the vindication of the laws. We can remit indemnity for the past, but security for the future is demanded by every consideration relating to our character and future tranquility.

MEETING OF CONGRESS.

To-morrow Congress is to convene, in extra session, according to adjournment. The circumstances attending this meeting are different from those of any previous one. It is an extra session, but not called, as is usual, by the President nor is its assemblage probably agreeable to him. Although appointed in anticipation of its being possibly necessary, yet the special causes that bring on the session are not those which were contemplated in appointing it. The object is to secure what has been the principal aim of Congress for the past two sessions, the speedy and just restoration of the States that have been thrown out of gear by the rebellion Specially, the design is, to frustrate a flank movement attempted by the Executive branch of the Government since the adjournment of Congress, and, on the whole, the session may turn out to be a legislative campaign *for the suppression of the rebellion.*

Precisely how Congress will address itself to this work, it may be difficult to say. It does not appear to be its function to interpret the law, which has occasioned this meeting. But it *is quite within the line* of its prerogative and its dignity, if seen to be advisable, to supplement its past legislation or even to supercede it by repeal and the enactment of another law in its stead. The position of affairs as deranged by the Attorney General is perplexing—meant to be made so, perhaps—but we have confidence in the representatives of the people, and are assured that they will disentangle the case and put it in the way of successful progress again.

Until the official—we might almost say officious—interference with the wholesome operations of the law of last session, the reconstruction work was going on as well as could be expected. It was conciliating the better classes of the Southern people, and promising a restoration of both order and amity. Congress was growing in the good opinion of the Southern people, whose wisest and best political men were in favor of the law for reconstruction. These had first come to entertain wholesome suspicion of the officious and selfish friendship of the Democracy, and then to wisely repudiate it. And if Congress pursue a judicious and decided course at its approaching session, those in the South who are favorable to the Union, may be induced to take another step in the direction of their own best interests, by discarding the partisan and sectional advocacy of the Attorney General, and by coming squarely upon the ground of reconstruction prescribed by Congress. Their cheerful concurrence in the friendly policy and measures of that body would undoubtedly be their wisest and shortest pathway to a happy reinstatement in the Union. They have already too long trusted in unreliable parties.

THE ASSASSINATION PLOT DEVELOPING

The testimony in the case of SURRATT grows daily more interesting, not only the new facts it reveals with reference to the prisoner on trial, but also because it indicates the probable complicity of others, as has been strongly suspected ever since the fatal day of Mr. LINCOLN'S assassination. The most direct statements are made by Dr. MCMILLIAN, the surgeon of the vessel in which SURRATT crossed the sea, in making his escape. SURRATT, himself a Catholic, was introduced to Dr. MCMILLIAN by a Catholic priest named LA PIERRE, who seems to have had the fugitive in charge, and to have been expecting him before his arrival in Montreal. With the Surgeon, as an officer of a British vessel and as introduced by the priest, SURRATT was quite confidential and communicative during the voyage.

From the facts mentioned in the surgeon's testimony, it must be seen how the suspicions of the complicity of leading secessionists in the assination receive confirmation. SURRATT, now fully proved to have been engaged in the assassination plot, was the messenger by whom the communications between Richmond and Canada were kept up. He received, as he said to Dr. MCMILLIAN, large sums of money from BENJAMIN, the Treasurer of the Confederacy. And on his arrival in Quebec, during the voyage, he was in company and conversation with BEVERLY TUCKER, JEWETT, General RIPLEY, of South Carolina, and servant of JEFF. DAVIS.

We have no doubt Mr. DAVIS and the secession company around him in Canada have peculiar sensations when they read this testimony. And the people of this country will be struck with the fact that Mr. DAVIS should have made direct for their congenial society as soon as he was released from prison. The coincidence of the testimony with the general belief of the people three years ago is very striking, and the leading names involved in it are now companions together in Canada, holding their communications without the aid of SURRATT.

JUDGE SHARSWOOD A COPPERHEAD.

Senator BIGHAM, in the Williamsport Convention, alleged that Judge SHARSWOOD, the Democratic nominee for the Supreme Judgeship, had, during the most trying period of the late rebellion, given aid and comfort to the rebels, and had used his official position on the bench to weaken the cause of the Union, by delivering an elaborate opinion denying the power of Congress to make our national currency a legal tender, without which no intelligent citizen can believe the rebellion would have been put down.

The Pittsburgh *Post* faintly denies the charge. We leave Senator BIGHAM to take care of himself; for we understand he expects shortly to produce the documents, in the meantime a legal friend, whose memory seems to be pretty good, gives us his recollection of the facts of this case.

Within a few months after the passage by Congress of the act making our national currency a legal tender, a person who had given a mortgage in Philadelphia offered to pay in greenbacks the amount, with interest and costs. This was refused by the holder of the mortgage, and a stated case was made up for the District Court. This happened to be at the darkest hour of the Union cause, when the rebels in arms, and their sympathizing allies at the North, were striving with some prospect of success to secure recognition. This national currency act had been carefully prepared. Its constitutionality had been elaborately examined in both branches of Congress. Attorney General BATES and President LINCOLN had given it a careful consideration. Upto this time it had not come before the courts for judicial construction. Judges STRONG and HARE, composing a majority of the court, affirmed the constitutionality of the act, and ordered judgment accordingly. Judge SHARSWOOD, *adhering his Copperhead proclivities, pronounced an elaborate dissenting opinion*, filling two or three columns of the Philadelphia *Age*, synopsis of which was published in nearly all the Copperhead papers of the North and the rebel organs of the South. The *Legal Intelligencer*, of Philadelphia, published both the majority and minority opinions, and of course they can be had.

The District Court of Philadelphia was not organized to pass upon the constitutionality of acts of Congress. That belongs to the courts of the United States. As well might a justice of the peace give an opinion setting aside an act of our State Legislature. The Supreme Court of the State passes upon the constitutionality of acts of the State Legislature, and the Supreme Court of the United States upon the constitutionality of such acts of Congress as this. It was an act of gross impertinence for a single Judge of an inferior State Court to write such an opinion and to publish the same at such a time and under such circumstances. Nothing but his radical unsoundness on the vital questions involving the life of the nation—Copperheadism—which makes the animal blind in dog days, can explain it.

The doctrine itself is the foundation stone of the States Right School at the bottom of the Rebellion, which denies to the Federal Government all power even to save itself from destruction unless an express grant can be found in the Constitution. Mr. LINCOLN, the generals of our armies and Congress, a thousand times exercised this class of powers, but which JEREMIAH S. BLACK, GEORGE SHARSWOOD, and all the platforms of Northern Copperheadism deny to exist.

But this general statement does not show the full malignity of this dissenting opinion. The cause of the Union at no other time seemed so dark. Just then—

> "Fades light as air
> Were to the jealous, conspiration strong
> A wooden of Holy Writ."

GEORGE SHARSWOOD, an old Whig, said to be a Presbyterian elder, elected by both political parties, volunteers his dissenting opinion, and soils his judicial ermine by throwing it upon the rebel scales, with the vain hope that it would sink the Union cause. Thanks to a kind Providence and the brave Boys in Blue, a thousand such pop-guns have been dangerous only to their authors—be they armed rebels or Northern copperheads.

We, therefore, have no doubt that if Senator BIGHAM and our legal informant are correct in their statement of facts, the loyal people of Pennsylvania will not be long in deciding that Judge WILLIAMS, *who is fully the equal of Judge* SHARSWOOD as a lawyer, superadded thereto is an accomplished Christian gentleman and loyal patriot, whose voice and judicial influence were always cast in favor of the Union and for the suppression of the rebellion, shall be our next Supreme Judge.

MR GREELEY FLOUNDERING

Whatever may have been the object of calling Mr. GREELEY before the Impeachment Committee, his testimony concerning his share in the hailing of DAVIS cannot be said to relieve his position before the country. A while ago Mr. GREELEY said he went the traitor's bail principally because urgently requested to do so by his counsel. He now—laying no particular stress on the request which was by Mr. SOLA, the junior counsel—says he went bail to bring DAVIS to trial, but Mr. GREELEY says, and repeats the observation, that he believes *"the time for a trial, for any good purpose has past."* So we have Mr. GREELEY squarely avowing that the trial of DAVIS for organizing and prosecuting the rebellion for the overthrow of the Government would be for no "good purpose," and that consequently he is opposed to it. It is just to say that Mr. GREELEY concedes that if DAVIS can be connected with the assassination or the starving of our soldiers, he should be tried.

Had DAVIS not organized the rebellion there would have been no assassination or starving. They came about as did the battles of Gettysburg and other battles. It is a settled principle, if a man intends to burn the house but burns both house and family, he is guilty of what he does over and above what he intended. Mr. GREELEY'S idea is, if you can connect DAVIS with the assassination he should be tried, but not for organizing the rebellion, which culminated in the assassination. In other words, if the family is burnt, try the incendiary; if only the house, let him go.

THE feelings of Napoleon, when the intelligence of the sad death of Maximilian reached him, must have been of the most distressing kind. The common grief of friendship and humanity must have been embittered by some sense of self-termination. If not in form, yet in fact, do not hearts the sovereigns of Europe will hold him, in a measure, responsible for the sad fate of the Prince, who, under his auspices, took his seat on a usurped throne, and was, through his desertion, hurled from it and ignominiously slain. The melancholy intelligence will cause grief and indignation in all the courts of Europe. Many will be taken by surprise at the painful announcement. In France the impression seems to have prevailed that the life of Maximilian was securely established. M. Duruy, Minister of public instruction in France, published a history lately for the use of schools, and designing to bring it down to the present time, introduces the Mexican enterprise. He closes what he writes on that subject with these words: "The Emperor Maximilian reigns peacefully over a happy people." The news of the death will afford a mournful comment on the history.

PROF. S. P. LANGLEY, of the U. S. Observatory connected with the Naval Academy at Annapolis, is in Pittsburgh. He has come here to see our Observatory. He is an enthusiast in his department, and has enjoyed rare opportunities in the Observatory in Cambridge and in Europe to acquaint himself with everything connected with astronomy. We hope he may be engaged here. He will be a most valuable acquisition to science here.

Presidential.

The Titusville *Herald* nominates Gen. Grant for President, and Hon. Galusha A. Grow for Vice President. The Wilmington (Del.) *Commercial* nominates Gen. Grant for President and Hon. W. D. Kelley for Vice President.

The Harrisburg *Telegraph* pronounces the following oracular words:

> "We are inclined to the opinion that the crisis in national affairs to which we are fast verging, will not be made the candidate or single out the President. A date of the Republican Ball but living for usefulness, great leader, yet something, and prove himself equal will be brought to the front in order to screen our which it has be- worst enemies."

Of course the *Telegraph* was too modest to say the name of "the great leader" is SIMON CAMERON.

The New York *Commercial* says:

> Speaker Colfax, so far, leads off in the race for the Presidency. His friends are confident. The other Congressional candidates are Butler, Boutwell, Rice, Ingersoll, Sumner, Wade, Wilson, and lately, Roscoe Conkling. The canvass for the nomination is getting hot, and COLFAX'S friends claim that their candidate has the inside track.

The Responsibility.

The N. Y. *Commercial* undertakes to locate the responsibility of the "taking off" of Maximilian in the following manner:

> There is, if the report be true, very strong reasons for deploring the imbecility of ex-Minister Campbell. That under any circumstance he should have trifled away a week in Washington, is inexcusable enough. But for remaining there an hour after the capture and peril of Maximilian, he makes himself responsible for consequences. In Mexico, where he fought to have been, Mr. Campbell could have saved the life of a fallen monarch, which would have been more important, saved the new Government from the just reproaches of the civilized world.
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> Mr. Campbell was within reach of Mr. Seward every moment of the entire winter spoken of as having been "frittered away," and it was his duty to have started the "imbecile" Minister either for Mexico or out of his office. The words of the *Commercial* are quite as pertinent in their application to Mr. Seward as Mr. Campbell.
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> The *Commercial* professes itself "still incredulous," and speaks of the reported shooting of Maximilian as being what "may prove erroneous information." We trust it will so turn out.

Grand Railroad Scheme.

An Indianapolis correspondent announces the arrival in that city of the railroad kings who have been laboring for several days at Terre Haute to obtain possession of the Indianapolis and Terre Haute and the Terre Haute and Alton Railroads. They did, indeed, secure the latter, but failed to obtain possession of the former. Our readers, generally, may not be informed as to the magnitude of the scheme involved, which is nothing less than a continuous line of rail from Philadelphia to St. Louis, *owned and controlled by the Pennsylvania Central Railroad Company.* This Company already controls the entire line, except an insignificant one hundred miles, from Indianapolis to Terre Haute, and that broken link will soon be replaced by a new one.

UNLESS authentic news is received concerning General Custer, the report that he has been ambuscaded and killed will occasion uneasiness. An Omaha dispatch, the 29th of June, says: "General Custar when last heard from was at the forks of the Republican river. If the hostile Indians go south he will pursue. No late Indian disturbances are reported at headquarters."

We are asked to believe a version of Mr. Wade's agrarian speech, by a correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, who avers that he (Wade,) "is strictly temperate, and never in his whole life was under the influence of liquor."

The latest news concerning the Prince Imperial of France is that the medical attendants have declared, in the most formal manner, that no ill consequences of any kind are to be apprehended from the late illness of the young Prince.

While we are having regular scorching days, they are complaining on the seaboard of weather too cool for the season and detrimental to summer hotels.

THE LORD ROSS ROBBERY.—No Cossus, ancient or modern, ever took a loss of millions so complacently as Mr. Lord. So far as is known, that robbery did not for a moment effect either his temper, appetite, digestion or sleep. While others have mined and countermined for the recovery of the bonds, *without the robbers*, Mr. Lord has reposed. It is now understood that the bonds have been recovered, but how, and where, and by whom, is as much a mystery as ever.

Rev. WM. A. SAVELY, late of St. Andrews in this city, has become the pastor of Christ Church, Cincinnati. He preached his introductory sermon Sunday last, taking for his text Galatians 21. 14: "God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ." The *Commercial*, which reports the sermon in full, says it was listened to by a large, attentive and evidently highly pleased congregation. He is a fine reader, and expresses many eloquent ideas.

QUEEN VICTORIA delegated one of her daughters, the Princess Alice, to hold a drawing room in her Majesty's name at St. James's Palace on the 15th of June. The attendance, however, was extremely small, and the fact is regarded as an evidence of the increasing ill-humor of fashionable society at the seclusion in which the Queen still chooses to live.

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

One thousand breech-loading arms, and 600 thousand cartridges have been issued from the arsenal at Leavenworth, for the use of the engineers and workmen on the Pacific Railroad, in order to protect themselves against the attacks of Indians.

Some workmen digging a cellar in Polk township, Monroe county, Indiana, struck upon a subterranean chamber with a six-foot ceiling, and eighteen by twenty-five feet within the walls which are solid, neatly-seamed stone work. Ranged in rows, on rudely constructed platforms, were twelve skeletons, each with tomahawk and arrow-heads at their sides, ear-rings and bracelets of solid silver, having once they dropped, and piles of what appeared to have been furs in the corners of the platforms, each pile crumbling to dust as soon as exposed to the light. A number of tools made of copper, and hardened equal to the best cast-steel, were also unearthed, and fresh discoveries are being constantly made.

Although the Philadelphia city authorities have made no provision for celebrating the Fourth, yet private citizens and independent organizations will do it quite extensively—all with "unbounded splendor," of course.

The stove-pipe hat is in great danger. The fashionable leaders of fashion are bent upon abolishing it. The work proceeds by degrees, and consists in gradually lowering the crown and widening the brim until it becomes, according to the description, a "low, stiff sombrero, of silk-covered card-board, with soft interior edges."

The Wheeling *Intelligencer* reports an immense yield of blackberries in the briar patch of that section, and says the steamboats and railroads will have enough to do in taking them to market.

A New York letter avers that some messages is felt last Congress, at the extra session, enter upon tariff tinkering—perplexity and unsettling of values, with speculative ventures losing the result.

The foreign imports at New York during the week were as follows: Dry goods, $1,138,165; general merchandize, $3,293,382—total, $4,431,547. Among the entries were the following: tea, $222,119; sugar in hhds and bbls, $516,592; do in boxes and bags, $76,804; coffee, $257,555; molasses, $148,218; India rubber, $109,819; silks, $1,040,915; jewelry, $18,085; watches $6,997; cigars, $7,157; toys, $16,559; wool, $80,558; furs, $75,345; dressed hides, $63,064; do undressed, $113,594.

The specie shipments from New York Saturday were: per Peirce, $250,246; per Hammonia, $209,105; per City of Boston, $171,987. This makes a total for the week of $1,140,098, and $24,210,924 since 1st of January to date, against $45,072,778 during the corresponding season last year.

A good joke is told at the expense of W. S. Lingle, the Radical editor of the Lafayette *Courier*, during th war. By the death of a bachelor uncle he became joint heir to a large property in Virginia, and while hesitating, between a trip to Europe or an additional investment in real estate, he learns to his disgust that the administrator had invested sixty thousand dollars of the personal property in Confederate bonds. A large plantation in the Shenandoah Valley, without tenants, house or call, is all that is left of his fortune.

THE GREAT TONIC,
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Hon. Henry W. Williams,

FOR THE

SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Committee of Arrangements for a Mass Meeting appointed by the Republican County Committee on the 29th of June, will meet at the Office of the undersigned,

No. 93 Diamond St., Pittsburgh,

Saturday, July 6th, 1867,

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

The following gentlemen compose the Committee:

S. H. HOLLIDAY, Sharpsburg.
M. W. ACHESON, Allegheny.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Allegheny.
C. C. SMITH, Allegheny.
Dr. FRED. TAUDTE, Allegheny.
GEORGE W. GUTHRIE, Allegheny.
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JAMES PARKER, Allegheny.
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Hon. P. C. SHANNON, Oakland.
Col. J. D. MILLER, Ohio township.
STEPHEN CHRISTY, Robinson township.
A. M. WARD, Allegheny.
GEORGE FINLEY, Collins township.
CHARLES FARTMAN, McClure tp.
Capt. JOHN YOUNG, JR., Robinson tp.
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of "The Mutual Building and Loan Association of Pittsburgh," for a charter. No. 602, June Term, 1867.

Notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, by the "THE MUTUAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF PITTSBURGH," for a charter; that an instrument in writing, specifying the objects, articles, conditions and name, style and title, thereof, by which the said Association is to be known, has been presented to the Court and filed in the Prothonotary's office, and if no sufficient reason is shown to the contrary, said charter will be granted at the next term of the Court.

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PITTSBURGH, July 1, 1867.

DIVIDEND.—THE PITTSBURGH AND ALLEGHENY BRIDGE COMPANY, Diamond street, has declared a Dividend of SEVEN PER CENT, or Three Dollars and Fifty Cents per share out of the profits of the last six months, payable forthwith at the Citizens' National Bank.

R. K. WILSON, Treasurer.

DIVIDEND.—THE PRESIDENT and Directors of the Birmingham and Pittsburgh Bridge Company have declared a Dividend of ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS per share, out of the earnings of the past six months, payable forthwith.

EDWARD MOYE, Treasurer,
191 Liberty street.

FARMERS' DEPOSIT NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, July 1, 1867.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—THE Directors of this Bank have declared a Dividend of SIX PER CENT. out of the profits of the past six months, payable on demand, free of Government tax.

E. A. GEORGE, Cashier.

MERCHANTS AND MANUFR'S NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, July 2, 1867.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of this Bank have declared a Dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on the capital stock, out of the profits of the last six months, payable forthwith, free of United States tax.

JOHN SCOTT, JR., Cashier.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, PA.,
(Late Pittsburgh Trust Company,)
PITTSBURGH, July 1, 1867.

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND.—The Directors of this Bank have this day declared a Quarterly Dividend of THREE PER CENT. out of the profits of the last three months, payable forthwith, free of all tax.

ROBERT MORRELL, Cashier.

OFFICE BOATMEN'S F. & M. INSURANCE CO.,
PITTSBURGH, July 1, 1867.

DIVIDEND.—AT A MEETING of the Board of Directors of this Company, held this day, a Dividend was declared out of the profits of the last six months, of ONE DOLLAR PER SHARE, payable on demand. Certificates dropped for Public Parks, and United States tax.

ROBERT FINNEY, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PEOPLE'S INSURANCE CO.,
PITTSBURGH, July 1, 1867.

DIVIDEND.—THE BOARD of Directors of this Company have this day declared a dividend of FIVE DOLLARS PER SHARE, free of tax, out of the profits of the last six months, payable on and after the 8th inst., as follows: Two dollars per share in cash, and the balance per share to be converted on Stock Notes.

WM. F. GARDNER, Secretary.

TRADESMEN'S NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, July 1, 1867.

THE DIRECTORS OF THIS Bank have this day declared a dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on the capital stock, free from Government tax, out of the profits of the last six months.

GEO. T. VAN DOREN, Cashier.

PEOPLE'S NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, July 1, 1867.

DIVIDEND.—THE PEOPLE'S NATIONAL BANK of Pittsburgh, have this day declared a dividend of SIX PER CENT. free of Government tax, payable on demand.

R. M. RIDDLE, Cashier.

ALLEGHENY NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, July 1, 1867.

THE DIRECTORS OF THIS Bank have this day declared a Dividend of SIX PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, payable on and after the 10th inst., free of Government tax.

R. W. MACKEY, Cashier.

OFFICE ALLEGHENY BRIDGE CO.,
Pittsburgh, July 1, 1867.

DIVIDEND.—THE PRESIDENT and Managers of the Company for Erecting a Bridge over the Allegheny River, opposite Pittsburgh, in the County of Allegheny, have this day declared a DIVIDEND OF ONE DOLLAR AND SIXTY CENTS each share of the Capital Stock, which is payable to Stockholders or their legal representatives on demand.

WM. ROSEBURG, Treasurer.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—THE Little Saw Mill Run Railroad Company have declared a Dividend of SEVEN PER CENT., free of Government tax, for the year ending June 30, 1867, now payable at their office in Temperanceville.

WM. MARSHALL, Prest.

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LIST OF PRIZES—Cash Prize.

One Cash Prize at	$25,000	$25,000
One Cash Prize at	50,000	50,000
One Cash Prize at	25,000	25,000
Two Cash Prizes at	10,000	20,000
Three Cash Prizes at	5,000	15,000
Six Cash Prizes at	3,000	12,000
Five Cash Prizes at	2,000	10,000
Eight Cash Prizes at	1,000	8,000
Twenty Cash Prizes at	500	10,000
Twenty Cash Prizes at	300	6,000
Twenty-five Cash Prizes at	200	5,000
Forty Cash Prizes at	100	4,000
One Hundred Cash Prizes at	50	3,750
One hundred and forty Cash Prizes at	25	3,500
One Hundred and fifty Cash Prizes at	20	3,000
One hundred and sixty-six Cash Prizes at	10	1,750
Two hundred Cash Prizes at	5	1,000
864 Cash Prizes amounting to		$250,000

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33 Steinway Grand and 7 Octave	$
33 Chickering do do	$24,645
218 Melodeon	

SEWING MACHINES.

282 Wheeler & Wilson	74,375
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16 Full sets Ear-rings and Pins	101,150
93 Fine Cluster Rings	
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FINE GOLD WATCHES.

443 Ladies' and Gents' Gold Watches	73,319

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815 Ladies' and Gents' Silver Watches	29,744
Assorted Prizes	668,913
Total Value of Prizes	$1,287,148

Immediately after the Grand Distribution, a list of the Presents awarded will be printed and sent to each ticket holder.

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To this end they have consigned the sale of tickets and the registering of the same, to Clark, Webster & Co., Bankers, No. 62 Broadway, New York, who will keep the records in their possession. SAID Grand Presentation Entertainment will be conducted under the supervision of a committee selected by the audience to make an impartial distribution of Presents.

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The Daily Commercial

NASBY.

The Boston Excursion.

Nasby's latest letter is dated at Tremont House, Boston, June 29th. It opens by saying that the President's corjel reception in North Karliny give him a sort uv appetite for popler applause, and he determined upon tryin it in the North agin." Randall opposed it, saying that if the President persisted in these expeditions he would die "from the effex uv a disease soopernduced by over effort in a great many attempts to save politikel friends from bein strangled." At last, however, Randall withdrew his opposition, saying: "Yoo kin do as yoo damage of the reporters is properly trained, and if yoo deliver only such speeches ez we determine upon beforehand. Yoo go thro Delaware which is ourn; Noo Gersey won't hurt us very much, coz yoo've bin thro there wunst and they know wat to expect; N. Y. will give enthoosiastic reception uv Morrisey and Ben Wood will take holt uv the matter together—by the way, Seward, telegraf me how wunst—and in Connecticut yoor certain uv a orjul reception. That State is full uv demoralized Yankee Democrats, who her bin out to Michigan and left there all the Puritanism and brot back with them, invits stead, all the cussidness indigenous to that soil, which cussidness crafted onto ther natral cuteness, makes them rather enterprisin in their worthli-ness. In Boston itself the prospect is good. There'll be an immense crowd present to dedicate the Masonic Temple, which we shell claim the credit uv bringin, ez we did the throng which come to see us on the Shoar north, but wich wood persist in hollerin "Greater!" The troody decent men uv Boston are Abolishnists, but there's some thousands which want offices, and them, with the sprinklin of Democrats and conservatives, ought to make us a hand-oge receptshun. There is, yoo no, Boston men who used to return fugitive slaves, and ther is besides, the eminently respectable gentlemen, who are so conservative that they hold onto wh becoz its old, and established by precedent, and so aristocratic that they wont do right, jist becoz doin rite is a quite common thing in that seksun; who hold onto the cotes-ale to progress and holler "stop!" and who if they the theirselves to a good cause hold it down with their dignity. Like the 2d Lootenunis of '61, their baggage is worth mor'n they are. But the trip wont hurt us. You can't make the Abolishnists more Abolishn, and them ez holder ax for the loaves and fishes is dispense, wood still holler us, ef the road we took on us strake through perdishen as a pigeon wood fly. We'll go. If you will make this noor and say nothin bleedin, the very least we'll get it will direct attention from what we've visited to with Sheridan, Sickles, Pope, et al."

We spoze the closing part of the letter entire, which describes the arrival in Boston:

We wuz received by Gov noo Bullock, whose speech wuz a noble triboot to the President. "I welcome yoo," sed he, "to Massachoosits. Many Presidents hev visited Noo England, and this visit, like theres', excites devoshen to the Yoonion and respeck for them who in the offishel poslishen, respeck the government uv the whole country. Our desire is to manifest our regard for those who, in their offishel capacity, respeck the Nashnel Yoonion, which is to say, we respeck the Nashnel Yoonion when the President will stay long enuff to enable us to manifest our high regard—(here the President's face brightened up for yoor orvirsir (the President insted frightful red, with Bullock, whose principles wuz a rasslin a back holt with his politeness, notist, and he added), AND TO YOU, PERSONALLY!"

Ez then last word ishood slowly and dey, ashy the President's face lighted up. He ordered him thanks for the reseption. He wooden undertake to conceal emoshuns which agitated him at this persnel welcome upon the soil uv Massachoosits. It wuzint necessary for him to go into the hisury of Massachoosits ez he was in the habit uv doin further South, ef those afore him wuz probably ez familyer with it ez he wuz, but he wood ashoor em, for their encouragement, that the histry uv Massachoosits in conneckshen with the histry uv these States hez become a part uv the histry uv the country, and therefore in visitin Massachoosits under sich pekooleyer circumstances it is pekooleyerly gratifyin to reserve sich a welcome. In regard to yoor remarks tetchin the preservashen uv these States, I trust I may say without egotism, a vice which I hev never bin accused uv, and from which I may say no one is more singulery free than myself, I yield to no patriot livin or dead in my devoshen to that purpose. Yoor other remarks on that Resolun pinted out a more economical collecshin uv the Internal revenoo also meets my corjel approbashen.

Randall pulled at his coat tale, when the President remarkt that he might say without egotism that he didn't desire to make a speech, and stopt. We brought him off in comparatively good order.

We slopt at the Tremont House. It is a good hotel, tho the waiters ought to be Afrikins. Its soothin to a troo Dimekrat to be waited on by a nigger. Yoo kin damn a nigger waiter, but put a white man in that poslshen and yoo feel a delicacy about it. When we retired the President insisted that I shood sleep lyin across the doorway uv his room.

"Why?" asked I.

"I am in Boston," replied he, "where they stun the prophets. Boston dislikes me. Boston hez to-day a smilin face, but we kind uv a hard idee that smilin face conceal Sumner Hves in Boston, and so does Phillips—in Boston they elect niggers to the Legislahjer, and are tryin to stop the sale uv whiskey. Wot kind uv a place is that for a Dimekratic President to trust himself into! Yoo sleep across my doorway, and ef a band uv Abolishnists, deemin me their foreshood strive to enter, they would have to flesh their daggers in yoor blood first. Meanwhile I'll escape. Yoo cood, by preparin beforehand a few impressive last words, make a glorious death of it, and do the coz good. For instance as Sumner struck you, you cood gasp, 'Slay me, but spare A. J., the hope uv the Republic.' Or, as Wilson struck you down with a bludgeon, you mite exclaim, "I die willingly for the Constitootshun with 36 stars onto it." Any little speshiasm from any uv my speeches joodiciously thrown in, under sich circumstances, wood do good. Yoo will sleep ther to-night, and remember, in case you are called upon to die, the proper protashuns."

Seward concurred, but Randall objected. He didn't anticipate any sich danger. Ef Boston wants to git rid uv the President they have a shorter way than assassinashun. Rash politishuns only assassinate them wich they can't find cause to impeach. But he wunn't afraid uv Boston. We stood a better chance uv dying uv excessive hospitality in Boston than uv bein stabbed. Our stomachs might protrude in Boston, but our bowels never. Boston wood feast us, for ther are enuff men in Boston who want poslshen to keep us a goin a year or two. He feared dyspepsia more than daggers, and hed no fear uv the wine bein puzened.

Nevertheless, I wuz forst to sleep in that poslshen, wich I did, wakin up in the mornin ez sore and stiff ez a plow hoss. I don't know now far the trip will be extended.

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TAKEN TO HOUSE OF REFUGE.—The boy, John Roan, convicted in Court last week, and sentenced to the House of Refuge, was taken to that institution yesterday.

RECOVERING.—James Smith, the man who was so seriously injured some time since by falling over the embankment upon a rock at the stone quarry, on Douglass Hill, near the Connellsville Railroad, is recovering quite rapidly.

FAYETTE SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.—The corner stone of the Soldiers' Monument of Fayette county will be laid to-morrow, the Fourth of July, at Uniontown, attended with the ceremonies of the Masonic fraternity. Rev. Colonel John B. Clark, of Allegheny City, will deliver the oration.

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Before Mayor Morrison, of Allegheny.]

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DISORDERLY IN THE CARS.

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BEAT HIS WIFE.

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ABANDONED HIS WIFE.

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ARRESTED.

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[Before Alderman Strain.]

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Public Amusements.

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From an Editor.

We copy the following highly complimentary editorial from the Jamestown *Journal* in behalf of Dr. Aborn, the distinguished Physician and Surgeon for diseases of the Eye, Ear, Head, Throat and Organs of the Chest, who has opened Medical and Surgical rooms, 134 Smithfield street. The editor says: It is well known we never have been "up" to commending travelling physicians; we have rather been considered unduly hostile to them. It is because we have considered them as empyrics, generally. We think Dr. E. S. Aborn is an exception to the generality. We think so for the reason that his testimonials are so strong and flattering, from persons so high in society and so well and accessible to reference, that they are unimpeachable and convincing as to his professional skill and success. We think so, because Dr. A., appears to be a gentleman of intelligence, culture, candor and responsibility. Therefore, we venture to step aside from our custom and commend him to all who come under his speciality for treatment—diseases of the head and chest. —*Ed. Journal, Jamestown, N. Y., May 11, 1867.*

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At $2 00—Balmoral Skirts sold last week for $2 50.
At $1 50—Don Juan Best Kid Gloves.
At 12½, 18¾, 25, 37½ and 50c—Dress Goods reduced one-half.
At 50, 62½ and 75c—Black Alpacas reduced from 75c to $1 00.
At 37½ and 50c—Plaid Poplins sold last week for 75c.
At 37½ and 50c—Pant Stuffs sold last week for 62½ and 75c.
At 50, 62½, 75 and 87c—White Marseilles sold last week for 75, 87½ and $1.
At 62½c—Organdie Lawns sold last week for 87½c.
At $1 50—Best French Corsetts sold last week for $2 00.
Cambries, Swisses, Nainsook, and all white goods, cheap. Lace Mantles, Cloaks and Shawls, one-half price.
Black Silks never cheaper than now. Entire stock has been reduced for our July sales of New Goods. Bring this along and we will fill the bill. West corner Market and Fourth streets, No. 69. Our Dress Goods as cheap as before the war. Gardner & Stewart.

MATCHES.—Five hundred gross, in the Iron House at Thompson's, 240 Liberty street.

KENNEDY'S BILLIARD SALOON.—Mr. John S. Kennedy, No. 68 Smithfield street, has just added a new and important feature to his attractive and popular establishment, by introducing five splendid Phelan Billiard Tables, together with complete and costly paraphernalia. The new billiard room will be opened to-day, and we have every reason for believing that it will be well patronized. The reputation of Mr. Kennedy is so well established that he does not require any indorsement by the Pittsburgh press. His restaurant is one of the best in the country; his saloon is always stocked with the finest of liquors and cigars, and his new billiard room will serve to increase the deserved popularity of his house. Give him a call.

HOW TO KEEP COOL.—Go to R. E. Breed & Co., No. 100 Wood street, and buy one of those matchless ice pitchers.

SPLENDID FURNISHING Goods, of every description, at H. Oppenheimer & Co's, No. 83 Wood street.

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DARBY'S ELEGANT PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY is crowded every day by those who want the most faithful and artistic pictures, No. 69, Remember of number of Gardner's New and Only Place of business.

SODA IN ALLEGHENY.—Passing along Federal street we could not help observing the Grand Soda Fountain erected by the Messrs. Park & Brill, Druggists, No. 77 Federal street, Allegheny. These gentlemen have spared no pains or expense in getting it up, and have undoubtedly the finest apparatus in the city. Everything is complete and in the best working order. The syrups are prepared with great care and flavored with pure Fruit Essences. The gas is made by one of the most complete and perfect generators in use. They are, therefore, enabled to give their customers and the public a glass of cold and sparkling Soda Water which cannot be excelled. The place cannot be missed being centrally located, so close proximity to the different railroad depots.

GODFREY & CLARK manufacture the best paper sacks in the United States for putting up flour, corn Meal, &c. Call and see them. Warehouse, No. 357 Liberty street.

COD LIVER OIL.—The purest and sweetest Cod Liver Oil in the world, manufactured from fresh, healthy livers, upon the sea shore, by Caswell's Cod Liver Oil, manufactured by Caswell, Mack & Co., New York. Sold by all druggists. MWF

THE THIRD ANNUAL SESSION of the Normal Music School, under Prof. A. N. Johnson, will commence in the Seminary, at Beaver, July 9th. R. T. TAYLOR.

DUTCHER'S LIGHTNING FLY-KILLER will certainly exterminate these pests, if its use is persevered in. Beware of bogus Fly-Paper, which some dealers keep here, that will get rid of you at nearly nothing. Don't be swindled. Ask for Dutcher's, which is sold by all live druggists. eod

FLAGS! FLAGS!—Of all sizes, at Thompson's, No. 240 Liberty street.

BOWS, TIES, SCARFS, Hosiery, Suspenders, Linen and Paper Collars, Cuffs, Umbrellas, Canes, etc., at H. Oppenheimer & Co's, No. 83 Wood street.

HOW DELICIOUS ARE STRAWBERRIES AND ICE CREAM, when eaten out of those matchless dishes sold by R. E. Breed & Co., No. 100 Wood street.

FEATHER BRUSHES, FLY BRUSHES, FISHING TACKLES—At Thompson's, 240 Liberty street.

THOSE irreverent lads, who called names after a certain "bald head" of old, deserved their untimely end, because at that time no panacea had been discovered to restore the human hair to its original bold spot. But now the vegetable Ambrosia is known to possess the rare merit of invigorating the roots and filling them so full of life, where not entirely dead, that they cannot help putting forth a new growth which rivals in beauty the locks of youth.

A NEW DRUG HOUSE.—Messrs. Richard Johns & Co., who are properly classed among our most enterprising business men, have just opened a new and well stocked wholesale Drug house, at No. 75 Smithfield street. This new firm is rapidly growing into favor, and is deserving of a liberal patronage. We heartily commend it to the trade generally, and trust that they will give Messrs. E. J., & Co. an early call.

MANY A FAMILY could dispense with one servant by using Dobbins' Electric Soap and some good Wringer. No wash-board is needed with this soap, nor will it injure the most delicate fabric.

HATS! HATS!—A most splendid and magnificent stock of latest style hats for summer wear, cool, cheap and comfortable, at Graham & Byrne, 52 St. Clair street, opposite St. Clair Hotel. Give them a call.

Phlebotomy.

When Dr. Sangrado found his patients weak he gave them water gruel. When they got weaker he bled them and dosed them with calomel and jalap. Gil Blas tells us they almost invariably died. A good many people are killed that way yet. The world in general, however, has found out that, in cases of debility and premature decay, HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS is the true life-sustaining cordial. This tonic is a powerful and perfectly harmless restorative. But it does more than invigorate. It regulates and purifies. While it builds up the strength and infuses vitality into the blood, it brings all the secretions into harmony with the laws of health. The feebler sex find it invaluable in the various physical difficulties to which their organization renders them subject. In all hysterical and hypochondriacal cases its effect is magical. The infirmities of age are alleviated by its use; and where the circulation is torpid, and there is a tendency to paralysis, HOSTETTER'S BITTERS are recommended as a mean of re-invigorating the system and prolonging life.

At this season of the year, particularly, when mid-summer's debilitating heat does so much towards reducing the vital energies of the body, this inestimable tonic and stomachic produces a wonderful effect. By it the strength is increased, the appetite preserved, and firmness and elasticity given to the system.

DIED:

HODGSON—On Monday morning, July 1st, at the residence of his father, in West Chester, PA., JOHN HODGSON, JR., in the 31st year of his age.

Deceased was a compositor in the COMMERCIAL office during the past three years, and faithfully attended to his "case," until the fell destroyer consumption compelled him to cease labor. He was a genial companion, an upright citizen, and his typographical associates, who knew him best, will regret his early demise.

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